



11 DAYS ITINERARY



Trip Name: Iconic Travels

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Trip Dates: April 4, 2025 – April 16, 2025

Trip Duration: 11 days

Destination: Shanghai, Huzhou, Hong Kong, Macau, Shenzhen

Purpose: Cultural and Historical Exploration

Trip Style: Group Travel

Shanghai, China (April 5 – April 8)

Day	Activity	Highlight	Time
1	Take a plane to leave the United States and fly to Shanghai, China. This will also be the first stop of our journey	We will arrive at Shanghai Pudong Airport.	
	Arrive at the extravagant Shanghai central Hotel	Rest at the hotel in the bed or hotel	
	During your free time, you can explore the Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street. This is the most famous shopping street in Shanghai.	Here are restaurants from all over the world, as well as clothing stores of various brands.	
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2	Eat breakfast at the hotel and prepare for takeoff to Disneyland	Prepare your stomach for a long journey at Disneyland.	6:30 AM – 7:30 AM
	Shanghai Disneyland holds four of the world's top honors among all the Disney parks worldwide.	Here, you can experience the thrilling high-speed light wheel, the immersive Caribbean Pirates Treasure Hunt Battle, and the family-friendly Seven Dwarfs Mine Train.	8:15 AM – 6:30 PM
	Gather at the Disney World store to shop, eat and have fun	Here you can purchase the most popular Disney souvenirs of the moment, such as dolls and schoolbags. You can also enjoy delicious food here.	6:30 PM - 8:30 PM
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3	This day is a journey of exploration of the city of Shanghai. In the morning, we will visit the iconic building of Shanghai, the Oriental Pearl Tower.	The Oriental Pearl Tower in Shanghai is a comprehensive tourist attraction that combines sightseeing, entertainment, cultural experiences, dining, and special events.	7:30 AM - 11:30AM
	Having lunch in the central business district of Lujiazui	Here you can find various delicious restaurants from all over the world, including Western cuisine, Korean food, Thai dishes, hot pot, and more.	11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
	We will go to China's tallest building, the Shanghai Tower. The second stop is Yu Garden. In the evening, we will take a cruise along the Huangpu River to enjoy the night view and appreciate Shanghai's international	We will climb to the top and overlook the entire scenery of Shanghai. A lot of traditional Chinese clothing and jewelry can be purchased at YU garden.	1:30 PM- 9:00PM

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4	We will have breakfast at the hotel and then start a day of shopping.	Enjoy the time of shopping and relaxation.	7:30AM-9:30 AM
	In the morning, we will go to Shanghai Tea Central Shopping Mall	Here, you can buy various precious and well-known teas from different provinces in China.	9:30AM-12:00PM
	In the afternoon, we will go to Shanghai Silk Supermarket.	You can have clothes custom - made here and buy silk products.	2:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Huzhou, China (April 9 – April 10)

Day	Activity	Highlight	Time
5	Arrive at Huzhou Taihu Sheraton Hot Spring Resort Hotel	The hotel is shaped like a crescent moon and a ring, it is a benchmark for China's top "luxury" hotels, comparable to the "Burj Al Arab" in Dubai	7:00 AM - 10:30 AM
	Explore the Future Robotics Center	A future world with robots as the theme, showcasing China's latest robot technology. It integrates children's entertainment, interactive experience,	10:30 AM - 12:30 PM
	Nanxun Ancient Town, the Birthplace of Chinese Silk Merchants	The earliest Chinese silk was found here, with its handcrafted silk awarded by Queen Victoria. We'll wear Hanfu, take an ancient ship and explore silk secrets like Marco Polo.	12:30 PM and after

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6	Witness the birth of a piece of tea	Pick tea leaves in the picturesque tea mountains, experience the ancient tea making method, learn the tea ceremony, and taste local farm dishes	9:00 AM – 13:00 PM
	Visit Moganshan, one of the four major summer resorts in China	A mountain oxygen bar near Shanghai, it drew Chinese and foreign celebrities to build villas in the late Qing Dynasty, gathering architectural styles from dozens of countries like Britain, France and the US. Blending architectural and natural beauty, it's known as the "International Villa Museum".	13:00 PM - 17:00 PM
	To Hangzhou West Railway Station	Large shopping malls, Chinese massage shops, Hangzhou specialty snacks	17:00 PM - 21:00 PM

Hongkong, China (April 11 – April 13)

Day	Activity	Highlight	Time
7	After getting off the high-speed rail, go to the Kowloon Shangri-La Hotel in Hong Kong to check in.	We can rest in the morning and enjoy your own time.	7:00 AM – 1:30 PM
	We will be heading to Tsim Sha Tsui.	This is a paradise for shopping and dining, with numerous international shopping centers.	2:00 PM – 6:00 PM
	We will head to the Star Avenue in the evening.	The Star Avenue is a must-visit destination in Hong Kong. Here, you can enjoy the views of Victoria Harbor.	8:00PM and after

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8	In the morning, we went to the Star Ferry Terminal and Central District.	Taking a cruise and crossing the entire bay. What's particularly meaningful is that this route has a history of over a hundred years. After arriving in Central, you can take the Central Ferris Wheel.	8:00 AM - 12:00PM (flexible)
	We will go to the largest horse racing track in Hong Kong - Sha Tin Racecourse.	This place attracts many film stars to come and watch the races. You can also place bets inside the venue, choosing the horse you think is the most powerful. If you're lucky, it can help you win a bonus.	2:00 PM – 5:30PM (flexible)
	Take the H2K night tour bus for sightseeing	Take the bus to travel through the streets of Hong Kong and enjoy the night views of every corner of the city.	7:30 PM – 9:30PM (flexible)

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9	Tai Ping Mountain, Hong Kong	This is the highest point in Hong Kong, offering a panoramic view of the entire city. Many wealthy people often come here because they believe that being here will bring them good luck.	9:00 AM - 12:00PM (flexible)
	We will be heading to Causeway Bay	This is the earliest commercial area in Hong Kong, featuring beautiful Hong Kong city buildings, and you can purchase anything you desire here.	2:00 PM - 6:30 PM
	East local cuisines and relax	Try great food and have a lot of fun	6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Macau, China (April 14)

Day	Activity	Highlight	Time
10	We will take a ship to Macao. First, we will visit Ruins of St. Paul	Here there are many records of Portugal's presence in China. It is a must-visit place in Macao.	8:00 AM - 12:00PM (flexible)
	Guo Ye Street, Macau	Here you can enjoy all the authentic delicacies of Macau, including the most famous egg tarts in the whole of China.	12:00 PM - 2:30 PM
	The Venetian Resort Area	The Venetian Resort recreates the Italian water city in a 1:1 scale and offers a wide range of entertainment facilities. It is the most popular place in Macau.	2:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Shenzhen, China (April 15)

Day	Activity	Highlight	Time
11	Dapeng Peninsula	Here there is a very beautiful seaside observatory, a seaside walking path, and the opportunity to enjoy the beach and the sea.	8:00 AM - 12:00PM (flexible)
	Shenzhen Huaxun Century City	One of the best shopping malls in China, featuring numerous luxury brands and international cuisine.	12:00 PM - 4:30 PM
	Huaqiang North Commercial Area	The largest electronic product purchasing center in China	5:30 PM - 6:30 PM

Shanghai

During April in Shanghai, sunny spring days are common. The day-time weather is very warm, but the temperature range in a day is large - it is much cooler in the morning and night. Light rain occurs from time to time. The color of spring has splashed every inch of the land and all things are reinvigorated. The Qingming Festival (Tomb Sweeping Day) falls on April 4 or 5. It is a time for worshipping ancestors and a great holiday with pleasant climate for people to enjoy outdoor activities. Check the weather forecast in advance. Always take an umbrella with you for rain can be unpredictable. This month is the pollen season. Prepare anti-allergy medicine to take with you. Prepare other regularly used medicines, such as cold medicine, medicine for diarrhea, etc. Take some food and drink with you if your visit is lengthy.

In April, Shanghai experiences mild and somewhat changeable spring weather. You'll want to pack clothing that can handle a range of temperatures, from cool to warm, and be prepared for possible rain. Lightweight layers, including a jacket or sweater, are recommended, along with comfortable, casual clothing like jeans or long pants and tops. A light raincoat is also a good idea.

Huzhou

The average temperature in Huzhou in April for a typical day range from a high of 71°F (21°C) to a low of 53°F (12°C). Some would describe the temperature to be mildly cool. The general area may also feel breezy.

In Huzhou during April, you can expect warm days and cool evenings, with potential for rain. Pack clothing that can be layered, including light tops like t-shirts and long-sleeved shirts, and a jacket or sweater for cooler evenings and potential rain.

Hong Kong

April, the probability of precipitation increases with time. April weather in Hong Kong is mostly rainy or cloudy with some mist. The average low and high temperatures are 16 °C (61 °F) and 29°C (84°F). The temperature can get even higher, which makes it suitable for spring outings. Sunshine isn't very frequent in April.

The weather is getting much warmer and you may feel hot as the temperature may rise above 30°C (86°F). Some summer clothes, such as T-shirts, are enough for the daytime, although you should also prepare a light jacket for the evenings.

Macau

The average temperature in Macau in April for a typical day range from a high of 77°F (25°C) to a low of 71°F (22°C). Some would describe the temperature to be pleasantly warm. The general area may also feel breezy.

April is a pleasant spring month with warm days and cooler evenings. Dress in layers, including lightweight clothing, a light jacket or sweater, and comfortable walking shoes. Don't forget essentials like an umbrella or rain jacket, sunglasses, and a hat for sun protection.

Shenzhen

As spring comes, Shenzhen weather in April is pleasant. Affected by warm wet air current, the temperature modestly rises, with an average temperature of about 26°C (79°F) in day and 20°C (68°F) at night. In April short-time strong rainfalls occur frequently. The average total precipitation volume reaches 174mm in this month. Travelers had better take an umbrella when going outdoors in case of a sudden rain.

It is still long sleeves weather most of the time. Taking a coat for the evenings is recommended. If you encounter a sandstorm, take proper precautions such as wearing face masks and staying indoors if necessary.

Our Suggestions to Prepare for China

❖ **Make sure your phone will work.**

- Many western social media platforms such as Twitter, Gmail, and others might not work. Visitors might want to consider buying a VPN or internet. Most importantly, travelers need to check with their phone service provider to make sure their phone will work in China.

❖ **Subscribe to a VPN Service**

- Twitter, Gmail, YouTube, Facebook, Instagram—all of them are blocked in China because of their potential to spread dissent. Visitors can get around that obstacle by using a Virtual Private Network (VPN). It's an app that routes the traffic through an international server instead, for a fee. However, it is not 100% that it will work.
- Visitors must download a VPN app before they leave home; in China, it won't be available.

❖ **Download WeChat**

- Chinese people don't use WhatsApp to chat with each other—it's banned, too. They use WeChat, the Swiss Army knife of apps that has some 900 million monthly users, mostly in Asia.

❖ **Check out Alipay**

- Right now, getting it to work if travelers don't have a Chinese bank card is a trial beleaguered by roadblocks, but improvements are being made all the time, so hopefully a door will open for foreigners soon. With Alipay and WeChat Wallet, travelers can pay nearly everywhere in China, including in taxis.

❖ **Portable Charger**

- It is important to have a portable charger because there might be times when travelers cannot charge their phone through an outlet. Travelers' phones will be important to always be working.

❖ **Toilet Tissue/ Hand Sanitizer**

- When travelers are in China, the place may not have toilet tissue and soap to clean a person's hands. It is imperative to bring these two necessities to China, especially if a person is bringing kids.

❖ **Banking**

- There are eight from the U.S. that operate about 80 branches and representative offices in China such as: Citibank, Bank of America Merrill Lynch, BNY Mellon, East West Bank, JPMorgan Chase Bank, Morgan Stanley Bank International, and SPD Silicon Valley Bank.
- Check with a US bank to ask which China Bank does not charge fees for money withdrawals. Travelers can also place an order with a bank or foreign currency company to exchange US to Chinese yuan (CN¥, ¥). It is best to arrive in China with Chinese yuan. Chinese banks will also allow visitors to exchange currency. We advise that you bring \$400-\$500 per person for your stay in China.

❖ **Currency: Chinese Yuan (CNY)**

- Please try to order currency through your bank before you leave the country.
- The hotels may be able to help you with currency exchange
- You should be able to order all the currency below at a bank:

What not to do in China

- ❖ **Sensitive topics:** Avoid discussions about politics or the Taiwan-China situation, especially with people you don't know well.
- ❖ **Traditions and customs:** Don't disrespect the customs of minority groups and temples
- ❖ **Bring small gifts:** Please bring small gifts as souvenirs to show a token of appreciation
- ❖ **Chopstick etiquette:** Don't leave chopsticks standing upright in a bowl.

